FISCAL MEMORANDUM SB 3198 – HB 3197

April 18, 2008

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (017368): Deletes all language of the original bill and requires the Department of Health to strive to expend funds on in-home visitation programs that are evidence-based and continue ongoing research and evaluation of sound, theory-based and research-based programs. The Department must include a means to measure the outcome of services in any contract for in-home visitation programs. Requires the Department to determine which programs are evidence-, theory-, or research-based and provide an annual report to the Governor and the General Assembly.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Expenditures - \$110,500 FY10-11/One-Time

\$101,000 FY11-12, FY12-13, & FY13-14/One-Time

\$1,904,600 FY10-11

\$3,609,700 FY11-12

\$5,314,800 FY12-13

\$7,019,900 FY13-14

\$7,019,900 FY14-15 and Succeeding Years

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumption applied to amendment:

 Any cost incurred by the Department of Health can be accommodated within existing resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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